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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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In response to the Final Rejection, dated July 14, 1998, the response time which has been extended for two months by petition, please enter this Preliminary Amendment in support of the patentability of claims 1-8 and 10-16 pending in the continuation application filed contemporaneously herewith:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Sub C! 1. (Twice Amended) A method of generating power ~~without the combustion of gas [utilizing] which utilizes a gas distribution network comprised of a high pressure gas reservoir [and] a low pressure delivery pipeline and a conduit operatively connecting said high pressure reservoir and said delivery~~